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UNITED STATES ARMY

COMMAND SERGEANT MAJOR WILLIAM M. JOHNSON

Command Sergeant Major William M. Johnson currently serves as the V Corps Command Sergeant Major in Wiesbaden, Germany.

He entered military service in February 1986. Throughout his career, he has served in virtually every leadership positions in the Infantry. His tours include duty with the 1/187th, 101st, Fort Campbell, KY; 1/508th Airborne Battalion, Fort Kobbe, Panama; 7th Special Forces Group, Fort Bragg, NC; 1-505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, Fort Bragg, NC; III CORPS 52d Infantry Regiment (LRS)(ABN), Fort Hood, TX; 1/27th Infantry Battalion, 25th Infantry Division; Command Sergeant Major of 3rd Battalion 15th Infantry, 2d Brigade Combat Team, Fort Stewart, GA; Command Sergeant Major of 2d Brigade Combat Team, 2d Infantry Division, Fort Carson, CO; Command Sergeant Major of 4th Infantry Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division, Fort Carson, CO. Division Command Sergeant Major of 1st Armored Division, Wiesbaden, Germany.



CSM Johnson's military education includes: PLDC, BNCOC, ANCO, First Sergeant's Course, Sergeants Major Academy, Air Assault School, Airborne School, Ranger School, Long Range Surveillance Leadership Course, Jumpmaster School, Pathfinder School, SERE (High Risk), Special Forces Qualification (18B), Battle Staff, the Joint Fire Power Control Course, the Command Sergeant Major Force Management Course and the KEYSTONE Command Senior Enlisted Leader Course. CSM Johnson earned a Bachelor's of Science Degree from Excelsior College New York.

His awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star Medal (2 OLC), Meritorious Service Medal (2 OLC), the Army Commendation Medal (4 OLC), the Army Achievement Medal (1 OLC), Army Good Conduct Medal (8th Award), National Defense Service Medal (w/Bronze Star), Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Iraqi Campaign Medal (w/4 Bronze Stars), Afghanistan Campaign Medal (w/1 Bronze Star), NATO Medal, NCO Professional Development Ribbon (w/Numeral Four), Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Medal (w/Numeral Seven), Meritorious Unit Citation, Presidential Unit Citation, Special Forces tab, Ranger Tab, Combat Infantry Badge, Expert Infantry Badge, Pathfinder Badge, Master Parachutist Badge, Air Assault Badge, Order of Saint Maurice (Primicerius Award), and the Noble Patron of Armor. He is a member of the Association of the United States Army, the Noncommissioned Officers Association, 25th Infantry Division Association, and the National Infantry Association.